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Stewards Ruling 39-2022

Ruling Date: 6/17/2022

Licensee: Jomar Ortega Serrano

DOB: 11/24/1991

Violation Date: 6/17/2022

License Type: Jockey

RCI ID: 2009894

Ruling Type/Description: Medication/Drug Violation-Humane

DTRC Rules Cited: 21.3.1, 21.3.1.1, 21.3.1.3, 3.3 All and 3.4 All

Suspension: Yes

Suspension Start Date: 6/17/2022

Suspension End Date: 6/23/2022

Narrative:

Jockey Jomar Ortega Serrano, DOB: 11/24/1991, RCI ID: 2009894, after appearing before the Board of Stewards on June 17, 2022, is "Suspended" seven (7) days and must provide a negative drug test or a Medical Marijuana Prescription in order to be restored to good standings. Jomar Ortega Serrano license will be placed on a conditional basis. After a complaint by a fellow Jockey at Delaware Park for disorderly conduct, he was asked to submit to a breathalyzer and drug test. Mr. Ortega volunteered to the tests. Mr. Ortega tested positive for marijuana. A violation of DTRC Rules 21.3.1, 21.3.1.1, 21.3.1.3, 3.3 All and 3.4 All.

Jockey Jomar Ortega Serrano must submit to a professional evaluation by a substance abuse professional approved by the Commission. Mr. Ortega must provide a negative drug test following the recommended prescribed rehabilitation.

During the term of his suspension Jomar Ortega Serrano is "Denied" access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission.


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